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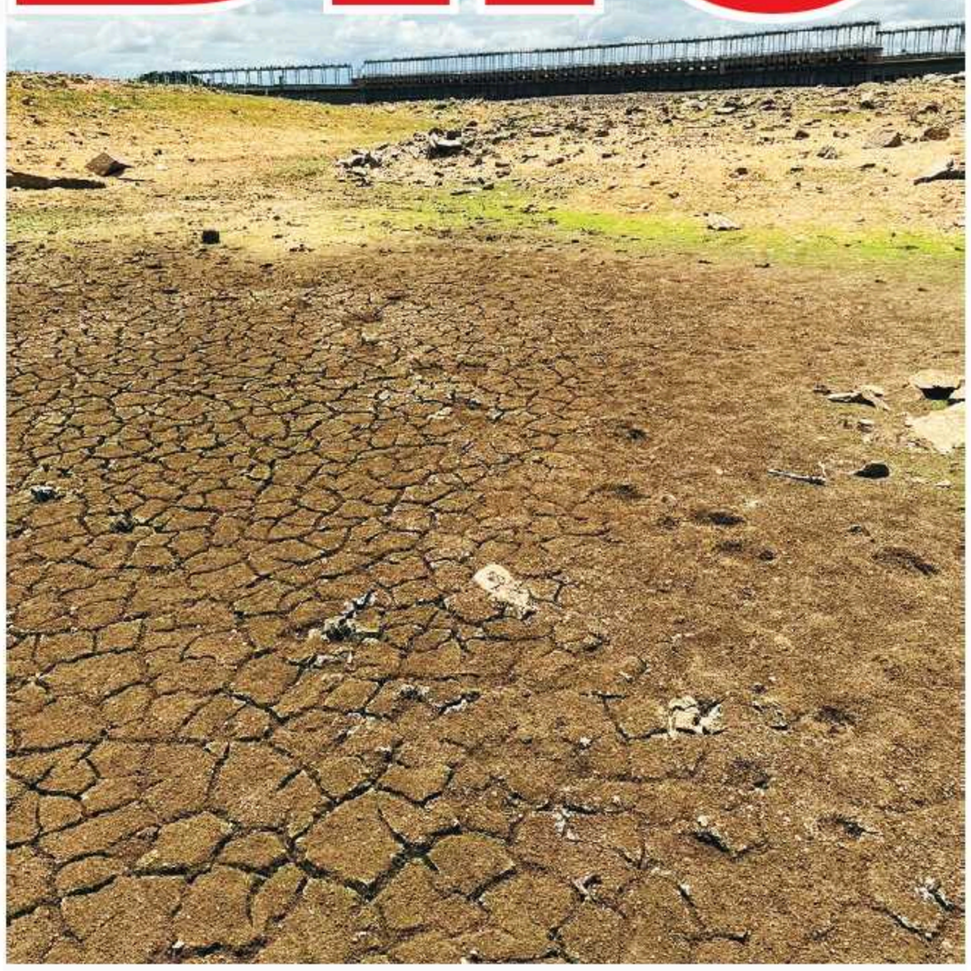

The dry riverbed at Krishna Raja Sagar (KRS) Dam yesterday.

Mysuru, July 3 (BLU&DM)- With the India Meteorological Department forecasting below-normal monsoon rainfall this year due to the El Niño effect, the Agriculture Department has advised farmers in Mysuru district against cultivating paddy, a crop that requires large quantities of water.

The prolonged delay in the monsoon and scanty rainfall have left farmers worried about the cropping season. With rivers, reservoirs and other major water bodies witnessing a sharp decline in water levels, uncertainty looms over agriculture across the district. Amid the prevailing drought-like situation, the Agriculture Department has released data on normal rainfall, rainfall received so far, crop-sowing targets and the extent of sowing completed in the district.

(See DROUGHT on page 6)

Missing Kerala ASI traced to city lodge

Abdul Rasheed

Mysuru, July 3 (GA&KS)- An Assistant Sub-Inspector (ASI) from Kerala, who had gone missing after leaving home for work, was traced to a lodge in Mysuru yesterday by a Kerala Police team and taken back to his home State.

The officer has been identified as Abdul Rasheed, attached to Mukkam Police Station and a resident of Balussery in Kerala. He had been missing since Wednesday morning.

According to the Police, Rasheed left his residence on his motorcycle with his daughter at around 6.30 am on Wednesday.

After dropping her at the Balussery Bus Stand, he neither reported for duty at Mukkam Police Station nor returned home, prompting concern among his family members.

(See KERALA ASI on page 7)

STAR OF MYSORE

"We believe comment is free, but facts are sacred."

Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Friday 3rd July 2026

Bhushan Brothers to perform 'Geetha Nruthya Harikatha'

Mysuru, July 3- Abhyuday Dhyan Bhushan and Abhignan Vedant Bhushan, sons and disciples of internationally acclaimed celebrity Bharatanatyam artiste, Acharya Badari Divya Bhushan, will be performing for India's International Movement to Unite Nations - Mysore Conference (IIMUN) to be held at Manasarowar Pushkarini Vidyashrama in city this evening (July 3) at 5.30 pm.

Both the brothers will be presenting *Geetha Nruthya Harikatha - Ramabhyudayam* exclusively choreographed for the delegates at event.

Abhyuday Dhyan Bhushan and Abhignan Vedant Bhushan

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

WHY THE GUT BEHAVES AS YOUR SECOND BRAIN: ***For years, patients have walked into my clinic with a "gut feeling" — butterflies in their stomach before an important meeting, nausea before an exam or abdominal discomfort during stressful times. What fascinates me is that "gut feeling" is not just a figure of speech. It is firmly rooted in biology...***

Patients frequently ask whether their gut bacteria are secretly controlling their desire for burgers, sugary drinks or midnight desserts. I think of cravings as a team effort. The brain, hormones, habits, emotions, stress levels and microbiome all participate. If you repeatedly consume certain foods, your taste preferences adapt, your brain becomes accustomed to them and your gut environment may gradually shift in that direction. The microbiome may influence cravings, but it is not acting alone.

So, is clean eating the only way to restore gut health? Not quite. The gut responds to much more than food. I have seen patients who eat excellent diets struggling with digestive symptoms because they sleep poorly, live under chronic stress or rush through every meal. The gut loves rhythm. It thrives on regular meal timings, adequate sleep, hydration, physical activity and periods of calm. Eating a healthy salad in five rushed minutes between meetings is not the same as eating it slowly and mindfully. The digestive system functions best when the rest of the body is also doing so.

Stress sits at the heart of the gut-brain relationship. One frequent question is whether stress causes gut problems or whether gut problems create stress. The truth is that both can happen. Stress can trigger bloating, reflux, abdominal pain and irritable bowel syndrome symptoms. At the same time, persistent digestive symptoms can generate anxiety, disrupt sleep and create further stress. It becomes a vicious cycle. Think of the gut and brain as teammates sharing the same locker room. When one is struggling, the other usually notices...

One non-food habit that benefits the gut would be simple: walk after meals. Many of us remember our parents or grandparents taking a short stroll after dinner. Modern science supports that wisdom. Even a brief walk can aid digestion, reduce bloating and support healthy gut movement.

The gut, our remarkable second brain, does not ask for expensive supplements, complicated detoxes or miracle solutions. It asks for consistency, balance and care. And when we listen to it, it often rewards us with better digestion, better resilience and perhaps even a better state of mind.

— Dr. Prateek Sharma in The Times of India

NEWS SPARKLERS

World's most expensive stamp

Port Louis: A wine merchant from Mauritius sent a bland letter to his partners in France 170 years ago, informing them that he had received their shipment. Today, that letter's stamp is the most expensive in the world.

On Oct. 4, 1847, when Edward Francis, a wine merchant from Port Louis, the capital of the British colony of Mauritius, informed his partners in Bordeaux that he had received the 48 barrels of wine they had sent and had already sold almost a third of them, he purchased two stamps that were worth literally pennies back then. Now, they are worth millions!

The Mauritius Blue is one of the most famous postage stamps in the world and considerably more expensive than its cousin, the Mauritius Pink. The Bordeaux Letter features original copies of both, which makes it the most expensive letter in the world, with an estimated selling price of over $5 million.

Cockroach diving suits developed

Tampines: A team of Singapore researchers has developed an innovative miniature diving suit that allows cockroaches to breathe underwater for up to three hours.

Scientists from the School of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering at Nanyang Technological University have been working hard to keep Madagascar hissing cockroaches breathing underwater as long as possible.

The diving suit doesn't come with an oxygen tank; it features a mix of hydrogen peroxide and manganese dioxide, which react to produce oxygen. The diving suit worked flawlessly in tests, allowing cockroaches to move underwater 78.4 mm per second speed, 10 mm less than their average speed on land.

HEALTH CAPSULE

Stones Don't Belong in Kidneys !

Kidney stones are more common than you think. Staying hydrated is one of the simplest ways to reduce your risk.

By Dr. Thimmaiah K A - Consultant Urology, Andrology & Kidney Transplant Surgeon - Manipal Hospitals Mysore

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LIFE'S ON

** Health Capsule is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature*

Staging of 'Love Letter - Ninna Preetiya Naanu' on July 5

Mysuru, July 3 (VNS) - Bangalore Theatre Collective will be staging the play 'Love Letters - Ninna Preetiya Naanu' written by A.R. Gurney at Kiru Rangamandira in Kalamandira premises on July 5 (Sunday) at 4 pm and 7 pm. Adapted and directed by Venkatesh Prasad, the play features Kannada cinema actors Kishore Kumar and Siri Ravikumar.

About the Play

Childhood innocence, teenage mischief and the ups and downs of adulthood — intertwined with emerging friendships, blossoming love, haunting memories, separation, joy, and pain. What if all of these were recorded in your letters?

A lifetime of whispers, shared secrets, dreams envisioned together, screams of joy and sighs of sorrow. Pathways walked together despite being far apart. 'Love Letters - Ninna Preetiya Naanu' is a love story that unfolds through the letters written between two people.

The two lovers unravel their entire life's events, joys and sorrows, victories and defeats before the audience through the letters they exchanged. This is a poignant, emotional love story enacted by just two artists.

Tickets are priced at Rs. 200. Contact Mob: 99001-82400.

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REALLY...?

- ***Green sea turtles can stay underwater for up to five hours while resting, by slowing their heart rate to conserve oxygen.***

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Tom: *What's the most expensive fish called?*
Chotu: *A gold-fish.*

TODAY'S CURRENCY RATE

1 US Dollar	= **Rs. 95.28**
1 UK Pound	= **Rs. 127.27**
1 UAE Dirham	= **Rs. 25.94**
1 Euro	= **Rs. 109.14**

VOICE OF THE READER

Relocated

street vendors causing chaos in Vijayanagar

Sir,

I wish to draw the urgent attention of the Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) and the Traffic Police to the rising chaos on the High Tension Double Road in Vijayanagar 2nd Stage, near the water tank.

Recently, the MCC took the right step by clearing street vendors who had encroached upon the High Tension Road Park with permanent cement floorings. However, this has inadvertently created a new, bigger problem.

The displaced vendors have now set up shop right on the side of the main Double Road. As a result, the entire roadside has turned into a chaotic marketplace.

The area is heavily crowded every evening, attracting not only the regular vendors but also numerous small-time sellers, such as balloon vendors, who block the pathways. With a large number of people gathering on the busy road, pedestrian safety has been compromised and traffic movement has become a nightmare.

While the initiative to free up the park was necessary, shifting the chaos directly onto a major road is not a viable solution. The authorities must intervene immediately to find a designated, organised vending zone for these sellers so that both their livelihoods are protected and the residents are spared from this daily traffic hazard.

—Anmay S. Gowda

Vijayanagar 2nd Stage
29.6.2026

Free cardiology camp on July 5

Mysuru, July 3- We Care Welfare & Charitable Trust, Mysuru, has organised a free cardiology camp on Sunday (July 5) from 10 am to 2 pm at its premises opposite Kantharaj Park in Lashkar Mohalla. The camp will be inaugurated by MLAs Tanveer Sait and K. Harishgowda.

Dr. Zayd Ahmed, DM Cardiology, Interventional Cardiologist and Assistant Professor of Cardiology at Sri Jayadeva Institute and his team will conduct the camp.

Free ECG, BP, Blood Sugar checks, Lipid Profile, CPR awareness and hands-on training will be conducted.

Hazarath Mufti Syed Tajuddin, Chief Khazi Moulana Usman Shareef, Khwaja Musheer Chishti, Dr. Maqbool, former Corporator Naseeruddin Babu, Rahmatullah and others will be present. For more details, call Mob: 90363-79136 or 98805-91115.

Pratibha Puraskar by Sakhi

Mysuru, July 3- Sakhi Foundation and Surya Charitable Trust, Mysuru, have invited applications from meritorious students, residents of Ramakrishnanagar, who have scored over 90% marks in SSLC and PUC (2025-26), to present late Savithri Raghunath Memorial Pratibha Puraskar. Eligible students can apply before July 10. Pratibha Puraskar will be presented in the 'Jai Hind' programme to be held on Aug. 9 For details, call Mob: 99647-90442 or 99647-90441.

Free keyboard demo class

Mysuru, July 3- Jagannatha Centre for Art and Culture (JCAC), Vijayanagar, Mysuru, has invited interested children to experience a free keyboard demo class on Saturday (July 4) from 10 am to 11 am at JCAC premises in Vijayanagar 1st Stage, according to G.M. Niranjana, JCAC Coordinator.

Mock test for Police Constables recruitment exam on July 5

Mysuru, July 3- Netaji Career Academy, having office on Krishna Vilas Road, opposite Avila Convent, near Jaganmohan Palace in the city, will be conducting a free mock test for Police Constables recruitment exam on July 5. For registration and details, contact Mob: 63641-16745 or 94807-09611, according to a press release.

Disruption in power supply tomorrow

Mysuru, July 3- As Chamundeshwari Electricity Supply Corporation (CESC) has taken up underground cable laying works at 66/11KV Doddakere Maidan Power Distribution Centre (11 KV Ramanuja Feeder limits), there will be no power supply tomorrow between 10 am and 6 pm in the following areas: Ramanuja Road 1st to 9th Cross, Hosa Bandikeri, Medarakeri, Chamundipuram Circle, St. Mary's School and surrounding areas, according to a press release from Chamundeshwari Electricity Supply Corporation Executive Engineer, N.R. Mohalla Division.

AFFIDAVIT

I, Sarojini A, D/o Mr. Ashoka .S and Smt. Sandhyarani. M R. residing at #3346, 15th Cross, Extension, Srikantapuri Badavane, Nanjangud- 571301, my father's correct name is Ashoka.S but in my X standard mark sheet of I.C.S.E council, it was inadvertently mentioned as S Ashok. Hence, in the X Standard mark sheet, my father name is to be corrected as Ashoka.S, instead of S Ashok. I swear in before Principal Civil Judge and J.M.F.C at Nanjangud vide affidavit date 19-5-2026

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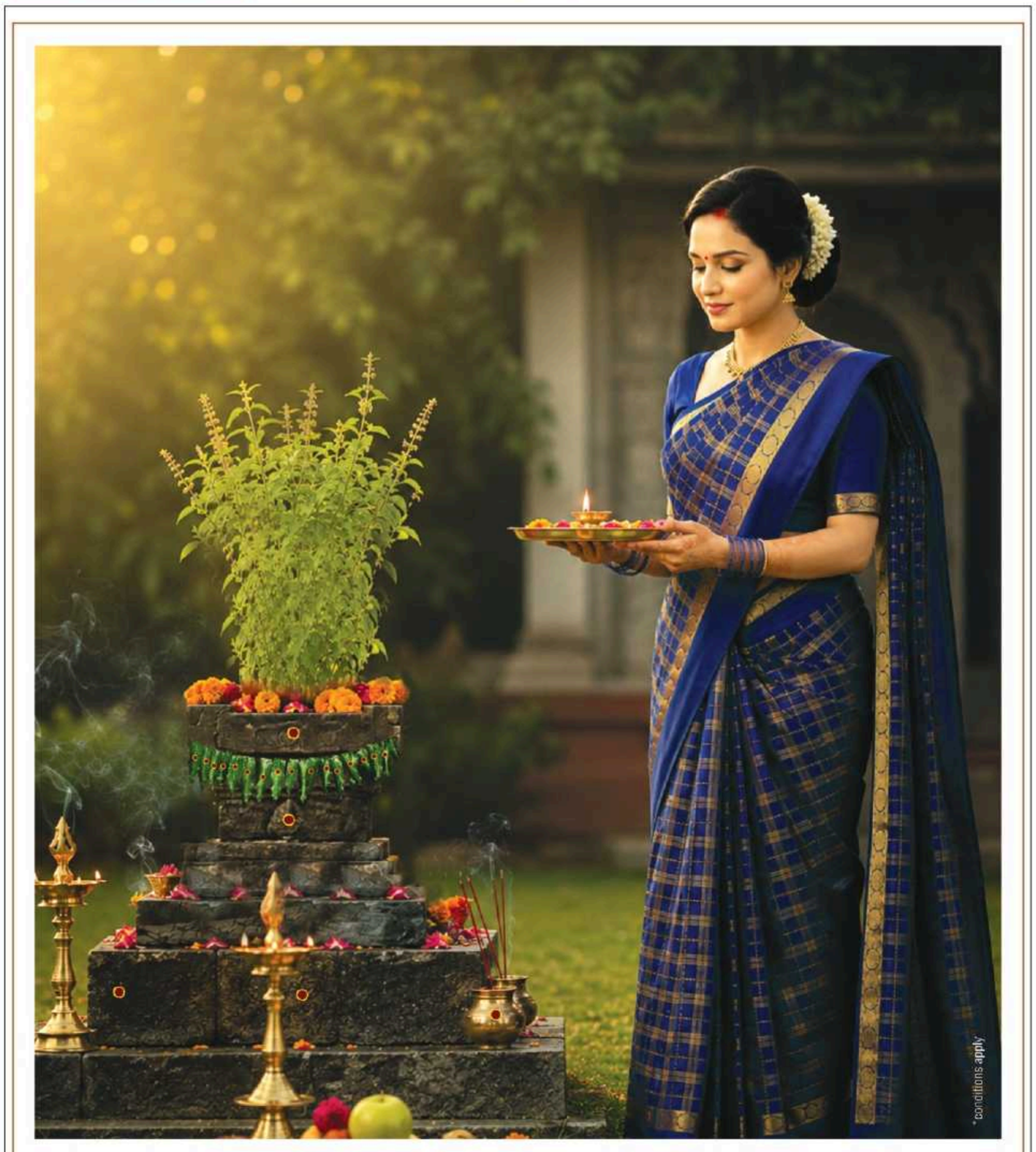

NEWS BRIEFS

Dr. Jagjivan Ram commemoration

The District Administration, in association with the Social Welfare Department, will garland the statue of **Dr. Babu Jagjivan Ram** and offer floral tributes at the City Railway Station Circle at 9.30 am on July 6, marking the late former Deputy Prime Minister's 40th Commemoration Day.

Story-telling

As part of 'Kathe Kelona Banni-939' programme, Kalasuruchi has organised a story-telling by **M.R. Anitha,** Head Mistress, Government Higher Primary School, Kadanahalli, Mysuru taluk, at Suruchi Rangamane in Kuvempunagar on July 4 from 4.30 pm to 5.30 pm. For details, contact Mob: 92435-81097 or 99459-43115.

Ayurveda camp

JSS Ayurveda Hospital, Lalithadripura Road, Alanahalli, Mysuru is conducting a Medical Camp from July 3 to 31 between 9.30 am and 4.30 pm at its premises. For more information, contact Ph: 0821-2548231 or Mob: 84314-44499 or 98445-49152, according to Hospital's Medical Superintendent.

AGM on July 5

The Annual General Body Meeting (AGM) of The Heritage Club, C Block, Vijayanagar 3rd Stage in city, will be held at 11 am on July 5 in the Club premises. For more details, call Ph: 0821-2412377 or Mob: 95912-28966.

Calling Constable post aspirants

University of Mysore Negilayogi Vidyavardhaka Competitive Academy stated that Karnataka State Police Department will be filling up 1,421 Reserve Police Constable (DAR/CAR) posts soon. Education qualification to apply is PUC or equivalent to it. The age criteria is 33 years for General merit, 35 for SC/ST/Cat I/2A, 2B, 3A & 3B and 38 years for tribal candidates residing in Karnataka forest region. Last date to apply is July 4. Candidates will be selected through competitive exam on Sept. 6. For registration visit the Office at 1st Floor, Centenary Bhavan, Maharaja's College Campus or Negilayogi Trust Office, opposite to New Courts Complex, Jayanagar or call Mob: 94834-53005 or 97311-39407.

Airport warns against flashing laser lights

Mysuru, July 3 (BCT)- The Airports Authority of India's (AAI) Mysore Airport at Mandakalli on the Mysuru-Nanjangud Highway has raised serious concerns over the increasing use of laser lights directed at aircraft, warning that such acts could jeopardise flight safety by impairing pilots' vision during critical phases of take-off and landing.

In a press release, Airport Director P.V. Ushakumari issued a strong public advisory against the use of laser lights, laser beams and high-intensity searchlights aimed at the sky, aircraft or the Air Traffic Control (ATC) Tower.

Wedding season menace

With the festive and wedding season underway, she cautioned that decorative laser displays, often used during celebrations, pose a grave threat to aviation safety and could endanger the lives of passengers, crew and air traffic controllers.

Explaining the risks, Ushakumari said laser strikes can cause flash blindness, severe cockpit disorientation and interfere with ATC operations.

Even momentary exposure to a laser beam can temporarily blind pilots until their vision recovers, making it particularly dangerous during take-off and landing, when uninterrupted visibility is crucial.

She noted that pilots may initially be unable to identify the source of the light and could fear a more serious threat, further adding to cockpit stress and confusion.

Green laser pointers, which are widely available at low prices, are especially hazardous because of their high intensity and ability to travel long distances without losing focus, she said.

Prosecution, fines and imprisonment

The Airport Director pointed out that the Directorate General of Civil Aviation (DGCA) has designated a 25-km 'laser-free zone' around airports to prevent such incidents.

Under Rule 66 of the Aircraft Rules, 1937, the use of laser lights and other false lights in the vicinity of airports and aerodromes is strictly prohibited. Interfering with aircraft operations through laser lights is treated as a serious offence.

Violators are liable for prosecution under the Aircraft Act, 1934, Aircraft Rules, 1937, the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita (BNS), 2023 and the DGCA's Civil Aviation Requirements. Offenders may face prosecution, fines and imprisonment.

Mandatory permission

The Airport Director also urged event organisers, marriage halls and religious institutions located within a 20-km radius of Mysore Airport to refrain from using skyward laser displays, fireworks and sky lanterns.

Organisers of large outdoor events have been advised to inform airport authorities at least 48 hours in advance if fireworks or light shows are planned.

She further noted that in 2022, the Ministry of Civil Aviation proposed amendments to the existing framework, recommending police action against individuals found flashing laser lights at aircraft. Appealing for public cooperation, Ushakumari said, "Aviation safety is a shared responsibility. A single laser beam can endanger hundreds of lives. We appeal to citizens to celebrate responsibly and help keep Mysuru skies safe."

Members of the public can report incidents to Mysore Airport Control on Ph: 0821-2596320.

Money laundering case

HC grants bail to former MUDA Commissioner

Mysuru, July 3 (BLU&BCT)- The Karnataka High Court granted bail on Wednesday to former Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA) Commissioner G.T. Dinesh Kumar in the money laundering case being investigated by the Directorate of Enforcement (ED) over the alleged irregularities in the allotment of MUDA sites.

Dinesh Kumar

Justice M. Nagaprasanna passed the order in proceedings initiated under the Prevention of Money Laundering Act (PMLA), subject to certain conditions.

While allowing the bail petition, the Court observed that the prosecution records comprise nearly 12,000 pages and that a large number of witnesses are yet to be examined, indicating that the trial is likely to take considerable time.

The Court directed Dinesh Kumar to execute a personal bond of Rs. 5 lakh with two sureties. It also barred him from influencing witnesses or tampering with the prosecution's evidence and directed him to appear before the trial court on every hearing date unless specifically exempted.

"He shall not indulge in tampering with the prosecution witnesses and shall appear before the jurisdictional court on all future hearing dates," the Court further ordered.

The case originated from a private complaint filed by RTI activist Snehamayi Krishna, alleging irregularities in the allotment of MUDA sites, including allegations involving the then Chief Minister Siddaramaiah.

Dinesh Kumar was arrested by the ED on Sept. 16, 2025, and has remained in judicial custody since then. The ED subsequently registered an Enforcement Case Information Report (ECIR) and filed its prosecution complaint on Nov. 14, 2025, naming Dinesh Kumar as the sole accused at that stage.

Youth killed as bikes collide

Mysuru, July 3 (GA&VNS)- A youth was killed on the spot when two bikes collided head-on between 10.30 pm and 11 pm on the road behind JSS Dental College and Hospital at Shivarathreeshwaranagar in city on Tuesday night.

According to the Police, the deceased has been identified as Umraz (18), a native of Chamarajanagar and resident of Bannimantap. Those injured are Usman of Srirangapatna and Stephen of Bannimantap, who are undergoing treatment at a private hospital.

Police said that Umraz and his friend Usman were riding on the bike at Shivaratreeshwaranagar, when another bike with Stephen as rider, which came from the opposite direction collided head-on killing Umraz on the spot.

NR Traffic Police have registered a case in this regard.

Man kills wife

Srirangapatna, July 3 (KS)- A man has allegedly murdered his wife at Alagodu village in the taluk on Wednesday night.

Rashmi

While the deceased woman has been identified as Rashmi (36), the accused husband is Ramesh.

Rashmi and Ramesh were married for 12 years and were leading a happy life until Ramesh began to suspect her fidelity leading to frequent fights between the couple. Family and village elders had intervened many times and had advised them, but still, the couple indulged in frequent quarrels, it is learnt.

On Wednesday night, a fight reportedly broke out between the couple and Ramesh in a fit of rage allegedly hit Rashmi's head with an iron rod resulting in Rashmi's death on the spot.

Mandya SP Dr. V.J. Shobha Rani, DySP Krishnakumar, Police Inspector Vivekananda and others visited the spot.

Arakere Police, who have registered a case, have launched a hunt to nab accused Ramesh, who is at large.

Kerala duo robbed of cash on Mysuru-Ooty Highway

Mysuru, July 3 (BCT)- Just hours after a truck carrying pharmaceutical consignments was fired upon in an attempted robbery on the Mysuru-Bengaluru Highway in Mandya early yesterday morning, another gang struck on the Mysuru-Ooty Highway, intercepting a car near Nanjangud and fleeing with cash worth several lakhs of rupees.

In the first incident, which occurred around 4.45 am near a hotel on the Mysuru-Bengaluru Highway, unidentified miscreants opened fire at a commercial truck transporting pharmaceutical goods in an attempt to loot the vehicle.

Later in the evening, five armed men targeted a Maruti Suzuki Ciaz carrying two Kerala natives on the Mysuru-Ooty Highway. The victims, identified as Latheef (55) and Anil (24) of Thalassery in Kerala, were returning from Mysuru when their car was rammed from behind near Sindhuvallipura village in Nanjangud taluk.

As the duo stopped to inspect the damage, the assailants dragged them out of the vehicle, snatched cash worth several lakhs of rupees, took away the car and fled from the spot within minutes.

The Nanjangud Rural Police Inspector and his team rushed to the scene, conducted a preliminary investigation and registered a case.

Police have launched a search to trace the gang involved in robbery. Investigations are also underway into the highway robbery bid near Mandya to ascertain whether the two incidents are linked.

Lokayukta Police trap surveyor

Mysuru, July 3 (PM&KS)- The Lokayukta Police have trapped a surveyor while he was accepting bribe from a land owner to issue Tatkal Podi for an agricultural land.

Jayaprakash

The surveyor has been identified as Jayaprakash, from the Office of the Assistant Director of Land Records in Nanjangud.

He was caught while receiving the bribe money at Dattagalli in city yesterday.

Jayaprakash had demanded Rs. 1.2 lakh from the land owner to provide Tatkal Podi for an agricultural land in Nanjangud taluk. The land owner, who obliged on the other hand, lodged a complaint with the Lokayukta Police.

Yesterday afternoon, Jayaprakash was caught red-handed while accepting the bribe amount near a hotel at Dattagalli.

Speaking to *Star of Mysore*, Lokayukta Superintendent of Police (SP) T.J. Udesh said that the land owner, accusing the surveyor of demanding bribe, had lodged a complaint. A complaint was received and a case was registered. The Lokayukta Police conducted an operation and arrested Jayaprakash, the SP added.

PU student goes missing

Mysuru, July 3 (KS) - A 17-year-old PU student, who left his house in Ramakrishnanagar at about 3.30 am on June 29, has since gone missing from city.

Benedict Joseph

The missing youth is Benedict Joseph, who was pursuing his I PU course at a private college in Mysuru.

He is 5.4 ft. tall, normal built, oily red complexioned, speaks Kannada, Tamil, Hindi and English and was wearing a white T-shirt and black pants at the time of going missing. Those having any information about the missing youth may contact Kuvempunagar Police Station on Ph: 0821-2418124 or call Police Control Room on Ph: 0821-2418339.

Man found dead

Mysuru, July 3 (KS)- A 35-year-old man identified as Naveen was found dead in Nazarbad Police limits and the Cops have sought the help of public to trace the kin of the deceased.

The deceased is 5.4 ft. tall, sports a beard and moustache, oval faced, normal built, oily red complexioned, has a tattoo of a dragon on his right arm, trishul tattoo on his right hand, another tattoo on his left arm and was wearing a dark green half-arm shirt, saffron coloured T-Shirt and black track pants.

Those having any information about the deceased man and his family may contact the Nazarbad Police Station on Ph: 0821-2418308 or call Police Control Room on Ph: 0821-2418339.

Kuvempunagar murder case

All six accused arrested

Mysuru, July 3 (PM&KS)- Kuvempunagar Police, who had arrested four persons including the wife of Nithyananda, who was found murdered at his house in HUDCO Layout of Kuvempunagar in the wee hours of Monday, have arrested two more accused, thus bringing the number of total arrests to six.

Those arrested are Susheela, wife of Nithyananda, her brother-in-law Harish (the husband of Susheela's sister), three labourers and Harish's friend Manjunath.

During preliminary investigation on Tuesday, it was said that five persons including Susheela, Harish and three labourers had committed the murder. But the Police, who conducted investigations in all angles, came to know about the involvement of Harish's friend Manjunath also following which the Cops arrested him.

DCP (Law and Order) Dr. Harsha Priyamvada, speaking to *Star of Mysore* said investigation revealed the involvement of six persons including Susheela in the murder and all the six accused have been arrested.

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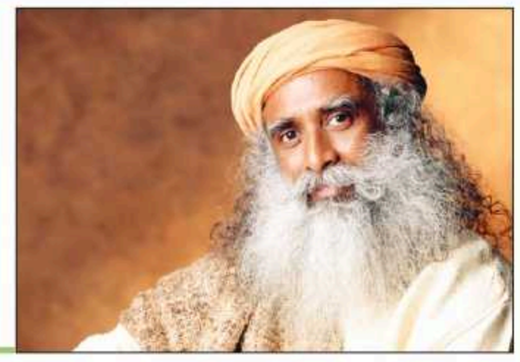
MYSTIC'S MUSINGS

By Sadhguru - Founder, Isha Foundation



Walking Krishna's path

The Gita, the Bible, the Koran, whatever they wrote are like this — one day a man went to the beach and the early morning breeze on the beach was so fantastic, he became blissful.

Whenever you experience something really beautiful, you want to share it with somebody, isn't it? So this man wanted to share it with somebody he loves in his life. That somebody was sick in a hospital, so this man brought a big, coffin-sized box, trapped this wonderful breeze, sealed it and sent it to the hospital with a note.

The box arrived at the hospital. Let's say you are the person who is in the hospital. You can do two things. You can very carefully open the box, get into it, seal it and experience wonderful breeze. Or you take this message and when you are fit enough, you walk the path that he walked, reach that place and experience the wonderful breeze.

All the scriptures are just these boxes. Somebody had an immense experience within himself and wanted to share it. They either spoke, wrote or did something. But now people are carrying the book as "holy" on their head and becoming stupider in the name of the book.

If you walk the path that Krishna walked, if you create the possibility that he created within himself, then the Gita is a reality. Till then, don't believe anything that anybody has said. This does not mean you should disbelieve. This is not saying "Krishna is nonsense." No. You don't know. He is talking about things which are not true for you as yet. If this much openness is there in you that "This man is saying so many things, let me see," then the possibility is there.

So, what does it mean being a Krishna? "Should I romance or start a war?" That is not the point. He did whatever he did in his life because those were the kind of situations he was placed in. The whole Mahabharat is an intense drama with all kinds of extreme situations for people. All kinds of people are there. There are out and out evil people and there are extraordinary human beings. It is a representation of human consciousness from the lowest to the highest.

But whenever situations go beyond a certain level of intensity, all of them suffer. The good suffer, the bad suffer. That is Mahabharat. Everybody — bad and good — whatever drama they are put into, they are suffering. But Krishna is the only one who is going through the whole thing without any sense of suffering.

So walking the path of Krishna means just that. Krishna's path is to go through any kind of drama untouched. If you can go through your drama without any sense of suffering, you are on the path of Krishna.

[Sadhguru, a yogi, is a visionary, humanitarian and a prominent spiritual leader. An author, poet and internationally-renowned speaker, Sadhguru's wit and piercing logic provoke and widen our perception of life. www.ishafoundation.org]

Drought looms large...

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Drought fears

Karnataka is staring at the possibility of drought after a gap of eight years. The last drought was recorded in the State in 2018, while previous drought years were 2015 and 2001.

The southwest monsoon, which set in over neighbouring Kerala on June 4, was expected to enter Karnataka within a couple of days. However, even a month later, the State continues to await widespread monsoon rains, raising fears of another drought.

The situation is in stark contrast to last year, when Karnataka received abundant rainfall. Heavy rains in the Cauvery catchment areas of Kodagu and Mysuru districts had filled the Krishna Raja Sagar (KRS) reservoir to its maximum level of 124.80 ft by the end of June.

Paddy sowing lags behind

Paddy is cultivated over a target area of 3.76 lakh hectares across the nine taluks of Mysuru district. However, owing to poor rainfall, sowing has been completed in only 1,62,526 hectares, accounting for just 42.15 per cent of the target.

In view of the poor monsoon forecast, the Agriculture Department has advised farmers against taking up water-intensive paddy cultivation to avoid heavy losses.

The weak monsoon has also affected water availability, with several rivers and other water bodies drying up. Cracks have appeared on riverbeds in many places, raising concerns over a possible drinking water shortage in several villages if the rainfall deficit continues.

Rainfall well below normal

According to the Agriculture Department, Mysuru district has received only 175 mm of rainfall so far this monsoon against the normal 299 mm for the corresponding period. During the same period last year, the district had recorded 364 mm of rainfall.

Joint Director of Agriculture K.H. Ravi said farmers have been advised not to cultivate paddy this season because of the weak monsoon.

He added that the State Government will have to officially declare Mysuru as a drought-hit district before relief measures can be extended to affected farmers. Compensation for crop losses will be paid only after such a declaration, in accordance with government norms.

Will DKS meet... his mentor SMK's fate?

S.M. Krishna

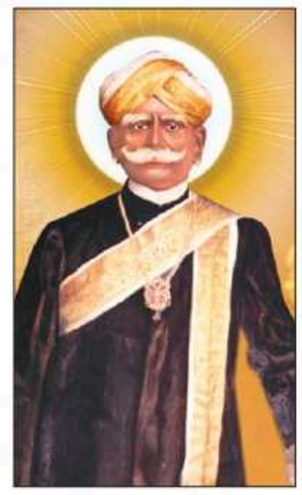
D.K. Shivakumar

Chief Minister D.K. Shivakumar (DKS), who calls former Chief Minister late S.M. Krishna (SMK), as his mentor, is facing the same situation like the latter. Severe droughts had struck the State, for three consecutive years from 2001 to 2003 during Krishna's tenure. The crisis severely impacted over 150 taluks, resulting in massive crop losses estimated at Rs. 5,000 crore. It cost SMK heavily, as his Government suffered a crushing defeat in the 2004 State elections.

Now, Shivakumar has given a call to farmers not to sow seeds due to dwindling water level in the dams, following 42% rainfall deficit recorded in the month of June, delaying sowing in kharif season. Two more years are left for 2028 Assembly polls and if the situation worsens, DKS, the protégé of SMK, may find himself caught in a similar crisis.

Free health camp on Banumaiah anniversary

Mysuru, July 3- Marking the 166th birth anniversary of Dharma Prakasha Rao Bahaddur D. Banumaiah, the Founder of D. Banumaiah Educational Institutions, the city's D. Banumaiah Yuva Brigade has organised a free health check-up camp in D. Banumaiah College premises on New Sayyaji Rao Road at 12 noon on July 5 (Sunday).



D. Banumaiah

The camp has been organised in association with the city's Suyog Multi-speciality Hospital.

The event will also have a free eye check-up camp by Navneeth Netralaya, distribution of free note books to students, Pratibha Puraskar to meritorious students and a voluntary blood donation camp in association with Jeevadhara Blood Bank.

K.R. MLA T.S. Srivatsa released the poster of D. Banumaiah Jayanti celebration events in front of Sri Kolhapur Mahalakshmi Temple in K.R. Mohalla on Thursday.

Brigade office-bearers Pradeep Kumar, Ravi, Deepak, Suresh, Shivanna, Prakash, Bharathi, Mahalakshmi, Hema, Thayamma and others were present.

'Kambala sport belongs to Coastal region, not Mysuru'

Activists cite environment, drought, Mysuru Dasara's traditional character

Mysuru, July 3 (PM&BCT)- Leaders of various organisations have opposed the proposal to organise *Kambala* as part of this year's Mysuru Dasara celebrations, arguing that the event would involve unnecessary expenditure and environmental damage.

At a meeting convened under the banner of Parisarakkagi Naavu at Jaladarshini Guest House yesterday evening, representatives of several organisations unanimously resolved to launch a protest demanding that *Kambala* be dropped from Dasara.

A core committee was constituted to spearhead the agitation, and it was decided to stage a protest at the proposed *Kambala* venue near the VTU College at Sathagalli.

Veteran writer Horeyala Doreswamy said that with Karnataka facing the threat of drought, Dasara should be celebrated in a simple and symbolic manner this year. Recalling that there had been occasions when Dasara was a low-key affair, he said, "*Kambala* is a sport that requires a lot of water. There is no need to damage Mysuru's environment to conduct it."

'Do not commercialise'

K.V. Banu Prashanth said Dasara, a centuries-old tradition, was gradually being commercialised. "Tomorrow, they may even bring *Jallikattu* here. Priority should be preserving tradition, not commercialising the festival," he remarked.

Leela Shivakumar said *Kambala* is intrinsically linked to the coastal region of Dakshina Kannada and should continue to be held there. Ravi echoed the sentiment, saying transporting nearly 200 buffaloes from Dakshina Kannada to Mysuru would undermine the sport's geographical and cultural identity.

'Transplanting culture'

Retired officer M.G. Sadanandaiah observed that while cultural exchange is welcome, traditions rooted in a particular geography should not be transplanted elsewhere. He said the growing number of events during Dasara was diluting the festival's originality and significance.

Farmer leader Badagalapura Nagendra clarified that no one was opposing *Kambala* as a sport, but only its inclusion in the Mysuru Dasara. "People's opinion must be respected in a democracy. With drought looming, there must be a low-key Dasara," he said.

Heritage expert Dr. N.S. Rangaraju said those interested in witnessing *Kambala* should visit Dakshina Kannada, where it has evolved as a traditional folk sport. "The proposal to organise it during Mysuru Dasara should be dropped," he added.

Retired Major General Sudhir Vombatkere called for collecting public opinion, preparing a comprehensive action plan and submitting objections to the CM.

Among those present were Team Mysuru's Gokul Govardhan, advocate Anantharaju, farmer leader Manju Kiran, environmentalist Bhanu Mohan, Parisarakkagi Naavu General Secretary Parashuramegowda, educationist Prof. Nabijan, Raitha Sangha Secretary Hosakote Basavaraju, Kannada Kriya Samiti's Siddegowda, Kannada activist Srinivasamithra, activists Leela Shivakumar, Prabha Nandeesh, Anjana, Prabha, Swapna, Gayathri, Sumalatha, Guruswamy, Akbar, Bangara Nayak, Ganesh, Om Shivacharan, S. Shailajesha and Ugranarasimhegowda, besides advocates Aishwarya, Umesh Gowda, Ramu and Prabhakar.

Mandya shoot-out: Seven arrested

Youths fired air pistol at pharma goods truck for fun: Police

Mysuru, July 3 (BCT)- The Mandya Rural Police have arrested seven youths in connection with the daring pre-dawn attack on a commercial courier truck on the Mysuru-Bengaluru National Highway near Mandya, where armed miscreants opened fire after the driver refused to stop.

The arrests were made last night based on a complaint lodged by the truck driver Shankar and the information provided by him during the *mahazar* and preliminary investigation.

Mandya Superintendent of Police Dr. V.J. Shobha Rani told reporters that the accused had carried out the act for fun and to experience the thrill.

"They used an air pistol to fire at the pharma truck. We treated the case with utmost seriousness and have arrested all the accused. Legal proceedings have been initiated and a case has been registered at the Mandya Rural Police Station," she said.

The incident occurred in the early hours of yesterday when a Tata Canter courier vehicle carrying pharmaceutical consignments was travelling from Bengaluru to Mysuru.

According to the complaint, the accused arrived on the highway in an SUV and signalled the truck driver to stop. When Shankar ignored the signal and continued driving, the SUV began chasing the vehicle.

After tailing the truck for nearly half a kilometre, the SUV overtook it and swerved across its path in an apparent attempt to force it to stop. One of the occupants then fired at the truck's cabin with an air pistol.

Shankar narrowly escaped the shot. Although the pellet shattered the side window of the truck, the driver was unhurt. He managed to drive away after two other vehicles approached the spot, prompting the assailants to flee.

Police have registered a case and are continuing their investigation.

Missing Kerala ASI

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Following a complaint, the Balussery Police registered a missing person case and launched a search. During the investigation, they tracked the location of Rasheed's mobile phone, which indicated that he was in Mysuru.

A Police team from Balussery reached Mysuru at around 11.30 am yesterday and traced the mobile phone signal to a lodge on Sangam Theatre Road.

On enquiring with the lodge staff, the Police were informed that Rasheed had checked into the lodge on the afternoon of July 1 and was still staying there. The team then located him in his room and escorted him back to Kerala.

The reason behind Rasheed's unexplained visit to Mysuru without informing his family or colleagues is yet to be ascertained.

CM, Dy.CM, Speaker greet MLC Raghu Kautilya

BJP leader Raghu Kautilya** (second from left), **who took oath as a Member of Legislative Council (MLC), being greeted by Legislative Council Chairman Basavaraj Horatti, Chief Minister D.K. Shivakumar and Deputy Chief Minister Dr. G. Parameshwar at the Banquet Hall of Vidhana Soudha in Bengaluru yesterday.

Special Intensive Revision

BLOs skip house-to-house visits in N.R. Constituency, alleges BJP leader

Mysuru, July 3 (GA&BS)- S. Manjunath, President of BJP Narasimharaja (N.R.) Assembly Constituency, has alleged that the guidelines of the Election Commission of India (ECI) are thrown into the wind by some of the Booth Level Officers (BLO) involved in conducting Special Intensive Revision (SIR) of voter's list in the Constituency.

Addressing media persons here this morning, Manjunath said, while the Election Commission has issued clear directions to the BLOs to go door-to-door to conduct SIR, the officers have been involved in the task at schools and secluded spots in groups, in the absence of Booth Level Agents (BLA). While the middlemen are assisting them in completing the procedure, he alleged further.

"We have photos and videos in support of the allegations and ready to produce them before any probe agency," said Manjunath.

The issue comes close on the heels of Union Minister for Heavy Industries and Steel H.D. Kumaraswamy levelling a similar allegation about the SIR process being conducted in a community hall at Bengaluru South District (Ramanagara).

10th Edition of Mysuru Literature Festival 2026

Two-day Lit Fest from tomorrow

SCHEDULE — JULY 4 (SATURDAY)

Venue: Jyothi Hall, Hotel Southern Star (English Events)

TIME	PANEL	PANELLISTS
10.45 am - 11.45 am	*'Abhijata Sahityada Avashyakate...'*	Dr. Shatavadhani Ganesh
11.45 am - 12.30 pm	Flights of Contemplation: A bird's eye view of the nation in a flux	Capt. G.R. Gopinath & Shankar Bellur
12.30 pm - 1.15 pm	'For the love of India - Leadership lessons from the Tata Group'	Bhaskar Bhat & Harish Bhat
1.15 pm - 2 pm	*'Parichaya:* Enduring themes in Indian Textiles'	Mayank Mansingh Kaul
2 pm - 2.45 pm	'What Power Leaves Behind - Reading Karnataka and Rajasthan Against the Grain'	Preethi Nagaraj, Tabeenah Anjum, Srikar Raghavan, Akhil Chaudary & Deep Mukherjee
2.45 pm - 3.30 pm	'Rukmini aunty reinvents the R.K. Narayan aura for his 120th birth centenary'	Sita Bhaskar Jayashree Jagannatha & Shubha Sanjay Urs
3.30 pm - 4.15 pm	'Weaving ancient languages and arts with glorious cultural textures'	Manisha Chaudhry, K.S. Jayalakshmi, Anitha Rajarajan & Biswajit Balasubramanian
4.15 pm - 4.45 pm	'Mysore and the making of India's developmental State'	Chandan Gowda & Amshula Prakash
4.45 pm - 5 pm	*'Shabdon ke paar: Kavita aur jeevan ka rishta'* *'Kavita kaise hamare anubandon ko arth deti hai'*	Dwarika Uniyal & A.P. Poornima
5 pm - 5.45 pm	'Hyphen: Connecting Literatures'	Vivek Shanbhag & Jonathan Gil Harris
5.45 pm - 6.30 pm	'Pulse beat of, We the people'	T.M. Krishna & Srikar Raghavan
6.45 pm - 7.45 pm	Documentary Screening - 'Cauvery: River of Life'	Interaction with Dr. Sanjay Gubbi

Venue: Gardenia, near Swimming Pool, Hotel Southern Star (Kannada Events)

TIME	PANEL	PANELLISTS
12.30 pm - 1 pm	One-man show *'Hennallave'* Directed by: Soumya Varma	Prof. Lakshmi Chandrashekhar
1 pm - 1.45 pm	*'Sthree notadinda sahitya, samskruti, samaja'*	Prof. R. Sunandamma, Prof. Lakshmi Chandrashekhar Prof. Sabiha Bhoomigowda & Shanta Jayanand
1.45 pm - 2.45 pm	*'Ponnachiya Kathegararu'*	Somshekhar, Swami Ponnachi, Prakash Puttappa, Mahadeva Ponnachi, Chetan Ponnachi, Shivakumar, Satish Ponnachi & Abdul Rashid
2.45 pm - 3.30 pm	*'Budakattu janangada sanghatane mattu aranyapara horatada jeevana yatre'*	Kripakar, Somanna & Vijayakumar
3.30 pm - 4.30 pm	*'Harikatheya nepadalli jeevana darshana'*	Shivara Umesh
4.30 pm - 5.15 pm	*'Moolakke hosa roopa needuva meragu: Bhashaantarada Beragu'*	Jayaramaraje Urs, Krishnamurthy Srinath, Jayashree Jagannath, Shubha Sanjay Urs, Anuradha Chaudipura & H. Nivedita
5.15 pm - 6.15 pm	*'Krishiyalli surakshate - Nala Bheemasenara paaka swadishtate'*	Sihi-kahi Chandru, David Belo, Vinay Srinivas, Madhu Chandan & Dharmendra Kumar

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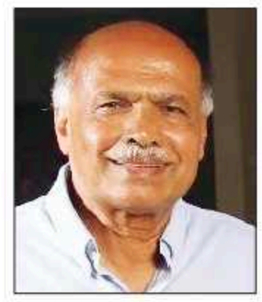
The 10th edition of the Mysuru Literature Festival, featuring eminent authors, historians, journalists, artistes, entrepreneurs and intellectuals from across the country, will be held on July 4 and 5 at Hotel Southern Star. Pramoda Devi Wadiyar will inaugurate the Fest tomorrow at 10 am in the presence of Amish Tripathi, former diplomat-author known best for *The Shiva Trilogy* & *Ram Chandra Series* and Aroon Raman, entrepreneur-author, as guests of honour. Inauguration will be followed by panel discussions & documentary screening, said Shubha Sanjay Urs, Founder-Director of Mysuru Literature Festival and Mysuru Sahitya Sambhrama-2026.

Dr. Ganesh



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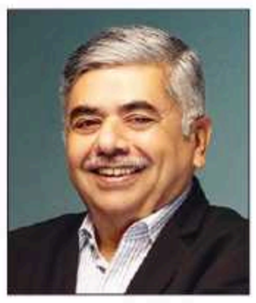

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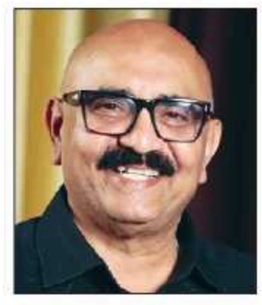

Sihi-kahi Chandru

Record Rangoli of Sri Raghavendra Swamy...

Mysuru artists' 45,144 sq. ft. long Rangoli enters Book of World Records; feat at Sri Raghavendra Swamy Mutt premises in Mantralaya

Mysuru, July 3 (GA&BS)- A giant rangoli of Sri Raghavendra Swamy, along with Panchamukhi Anjaneya and Sri Krishna, drawn by a team of artists from Mysuru, led by Puneeth, at Sri Raghavendra Swamy Mutt premises in Mantralaya, has entered the Book of World Records.

As part of *Akshaya Tritiya,* artists Puneeth, C. Lakshmi, R. Harshith and K.B. Kumaraswamy, in coordination with Raghavendra Swamy devotee, realtor Venkatachala, drew the Rangoli using 5,175-kg powder on 45,144 square feet space for non-stop 28 hours, to the applause of all. The Book of World Records officials were present during the Rangoli drawing, the video of which was later e-mailed by the artists.

A certificate of World Record, was received through post on June 25. Sri Raghavendra Swamy Mutt's pontiff Sri Subudhendra Teertha has congratulated the team of artists for their record feat. Lakhs of devotees, who visit the Mutt have appreciated the rangoli.

The team of artists from Mysuru, who drew the huge Rangoli of Sri Raghavendra Swamy, Panchamuki Anjaneya and Sri Krishna at Mantralaya, seen displaying the certificate after entering the Book of World Records.

Season 5 Maharaja Trophy KSCA T20

Hubli Tigers & Mysore Warriors share points as rain plays spoilsport

Warriors need to win all three remaining matches to qualify for the knockouts

Hubballi, July 3- Abhinav Manohar's explosive 12-ball 46 lit up a rain-hit Maharaja Trophy KSCA T20 clash between Hubli Tigers and Mysore Warriors before persistent rain forced the match to be abandoned yesterday. Both teams walked away with one point each.

Reduced to an eight-overs-a-side contest, Hubli Tigers posted 91/6, thanks largely to Manohar's breathtaking late assault. The Tigers were in trouble at 27/2 after five overs when rain interrupted play. Kruthik Krishna (23 off 19) and Hardik Raj (2 0ff 4) both retired out leaving the innings in a precarious position.

Manohar smashed two fours and six sixes in a whirlwind knock. The former Gujarat Titans and Sunrisers Hyderabad batter took a particular liking to Vyshak Vijaykumar, hammering 6, 4, 6, 6 in the sixth over before finishing with 6, 6, 4, 6 in the eighth. He eventually fell off the final ball of the innings after propelling the Tigers to a competitive total. The knock was a timely reminder of Manohar's big-hitting prowess, having struck 52 sixes for the Shivamogga Lions during the 2024 season, including three innings featuring nine maximums.

Ritesh Bhatkal was the top performer for the Warriors, picking up two wickets for just 10 runs. The washout leaves Hubli Tigers fifth on the table with six points from seven matches, having registered two wins, three losses and two no results.

Mysore Warriors remain sixth with five points from seven matches, with two wins, four losses and one no result. Mysore Warriors will have to win all three remaining matches to qualify for knockouts.

Meanwhile, Bengaluru Blasters continue to lead the standings on 12 points, followed by Coastal Kings Mangaluru, Gulbarga Mystics and Shivamogga Yodhas.

In the other match played later in the evening, Shivamogga Yodhas beat Coastal Kings Mangaluru by seven wickets.

Brief scores: Hubli Tigers 91/6 in 8 overs (Kruthik Krishna 23 retired hurt, Abhinav Manohar 46; Ritesh Bhatkal 2/10) - **No Result** against **Mysore Warriors.**

Coastal Kings Mangaluru 162/7 in 20 overs (Nikin Jose 51, Surah Ahuja 39, C.A. Karthik 36; Shreesha Achar 2/33, Abhilash Shetty 2/33, Dhanush 2/33) **lost** to **Shivamogga Yodhas** 165/3 in 18.2 overs (K.V. Aneesh 76 not out, R. Smaran 53 not out; Nischith 2/35).

Drive to plant 1 lakh tree saplings at Horticulture College tomorrow

Mysuru, July 3 (DM)- The Karnataka State Legal Services Authority (KSLSA), in association with Mysuru District Legal Services Authority (DLSA), the District Judicial Department, Forest Department, Mysore Bar Association, Heartfulness Institute, Mysuru and College of Horticulture, Mysuru, will launch a 'One lakh tree planting drive' at the College premises in Yalachanahalli, Yelwal Hobli in Mysuru taluk at 8.30 am tomorrow (July 4).

Karnataka High Court Judge Justice S.G. Pandit will launch the drive, which is an initiative designed to restore deforested areas, combat climate change and expand green cover.

The theme of the drive is 'One tree, a hundred breaths.' The campaign will also ensure that the planted saplings survive and thrive.

Principal District and Sessions Court Judge Usharani, who is also the Chairperson of DLSA, University of Horticultural Sciences, Bagalkot, Vice-Chancellor Dr. Vishnuvardhana, DCF K. Paramesh, Mysore Bar Association President S. Lokesh, Heartfulness Institute's Regional Facilitator K. Madhusudhan, Horticulture College Dean Chandrashekar Hanchinamani and others will be present on the occasion, according to a press release.

'Mysurina Mareyalagada Asamanyaru' on AIR

Gouri Satya

Mysuru, July 3 (BS)- 'Namma Mysurina Asamanyaru,' a popular column of senior journalist Gouri Satya in *Mysuru Mithra,* the sister publication of *Star of Mysore* for over one year, is now being broadcast on Akashvani (AIR) Mysuru Station.

Beginning from today, the programme will be broadcast every Fridays at 6.35 am and re-broadcast at 6.10 pm. The programme will be announced as 'Mysurina Mareyalagada Asamanyaru'. The first in the series is about renowned Sanskrit scholar and Founder of Sadvidya Pathashala Periyaswamy Thirumalacharya.

7th International Sports Dance Competition

Mysuru students win gold medals

7th INTERNATIONAL SPORTDANCE CHAMPIONSHIP 2026
CLASSICAL - FREE STYLE - HIP HOP - BATTLE
(Children, Junior, Senior, Masters & Veterans)

Mysuru, July 3 (VNS) - Students of I Dance Studio, Mysuru, have won 5 gold medals at the 7th International Sports Dance Championship held at Malaysia recently. The gold medallists include Lavik Rajshekar (U-9 boys category), M. Anvesha Sri (U-12 classical category), G. Hasini (U-12 boys freestyle category), Vihana Daddenavar (U-15 girls hip-hop solo category) and Mohith (U-15 boys hip-hop solo category). The students are trained under Prithvi Nayak, Founder-Director of I Dance Studio.

WORD OF THE DAY

Nabob

Pronunciation: NAY-bahb (noun).
Meaning: A nabob is a very rich or important person.
Origin: In India's Mogul Empire, founded in 16th century, provincial governors carried the Urdu title of nawāb. In 1612, Captain Robert Coverte published a report of his "discovery" of "the Great Mogoll, a prince not till now knowne to our English nation." The Captain informed the English-speaking world that "An earle is called a Nawbob," thereby introducing the English version of the word. Nabob, as it later came to be spelled, gained its extended sense of "a prominent person" in 18th century, when it was applied sarcastically to British officials of the East India Company returning home after amassing great wealth in Asia. But the word was most famously used by Vice President Spiro Agnew, in a 1970 speech written by William Safire, when he referred to critical members of the news media as "nattering nabobs of negativism."
Example: "NBA nabobs were dismayed by the player empowerment era, where players dictated trades or abandoned teams via free agency." — Christopher L. Gasper, The Boston Globe, 26 Jan. 2025.

THE ODD WORD

Raad

Electric catfish.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

A shot in the dark

Meaning: The phrase 'A shot in the dark' means a very general attempt; a wild guess. You can use 'A shot in the dark' to describe a situation that has a small chance of success.
Origin: People have been using the term 'shot' in reference to 'attempt' since the mid-19th century; in Joseph Hewlett's 1841 comedy Peter Priggins, the College Scout, we read: "After waiting for a little while, Ninny made a shot and went so near the mark." The origin of the phrase 'A shot in the dark' isn't specifically known; George Bernard Shaw was first to use it in print in the February, 1895 Saturday Review: "Never did man make a worse shot in the dark."
Example: "That was such a difficult question! How did you get it right?" Reply: "I just took a shot in the dark."

QUOTE BOX

Life is like riding a bicycle. To keep your balance, you must keep moving.

— Albert Einstein

RIDDLE THIS

Solve the rebus:

Answer: Honeybee.

SUDOKU

	5				8	1		
6				4				
	7	1					5	
				8	7	9		3
		9				8		
5		7	9	1				
	4					2	8	
				6				4
		2	8				9	

Answer to previous puzzle

5	6	8	9	3	2	7	4	1
1	4	3	7	5	8	2	9	6
9	2	7	1	4	6	5	3	8
4	8	1	2	7	9	6	5	3
6	7	5	3	8	4	1	2	9
3	9	2	6	1	5	4	8	7
2	3	6	4	9	7	8	1	5
7	5	9	8	2	1	3	6	4
8	1	4	5	6	3	9	7	2

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:

1 Aeronautical Telecommunications Network
4 Universal Disk Format in short
7 Vivacity
11 Milne marsupial
12 Spot
13 A speech disorder
14 ___ of : is made up of?
17 Singles
18 Cryptographer's need? (6,4)
20 Rocky crest - "eater" anagram
22 Wander about aimlessly
23 Yonder, in short
24 Tatum _____ : famous Hollywood star?
27 End of rugby game (2-4)
31 Anxiety
33 Jeans fabric
34 A slippery customer!
35 Nile queen for short - "Cole" anagram
37 Two scores?
39 Imprisoned (6,4)
42 Mumtaz movie or something to eat
43 Scorns or scoffs at
46 Memo starter
47 Estimated life expectancy
8 Lummox
49 Hoodlum or ruffian
50 Desmond's pet name?
51 North North East, on the compass
9 Understanding term? (1,3)
10 Mother of Jupiter and wife of Saturn
15 Put or lay or stand in certain position ?
16 On thin ___ : in a risky situation?
19 Walking sticks are made from this
20 Author Rand
21 Cross or crucifix
25 Strong dislike; repugnance
26 English court
28 ___ forward : moving cautiously but steadily forward?
29 Capital of East Timor
30 Corrected text
32 Wily and cunning
36 Swan Lake name
37 Current fashion or craze
38 Pray for us - ___ pro nobis ?
39 One thing and another
40 You too in Latin (2,2)
41 Bombay Suburban Electric Supply, in short?
42 Smell a ___ : suspect foul play?
44 Grandmother
45 Seller-Furnished Equip.

WEDNESDAY'S ANSWER

E	E	C		E	B	B	S		A	R	A
M	A	O		R	O	A	S	T	D	A	L
I	R	U		R	U	D	E	R	I	N	T
		P	E	S	T		E	Y	E	D	
F	O	L	K		F	A	V	O	U	R	
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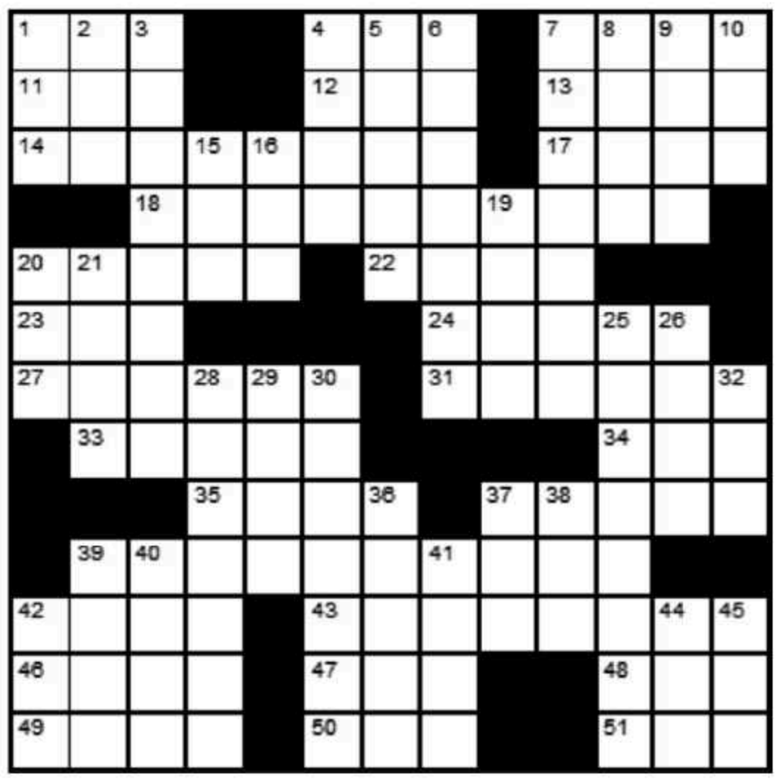
A	G	E		S	H	R	U	B	K	B	C
Y	S	L			I	O	L	A	E	C	O

DOWN

1 Part of a circle
2 Additionally
3 Balderdash
4 Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
5 To hinder, to prevent, to ward off
6 Adorn, hang with wreaths
7 Embarrassing error or blunder
8 Peel



CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

MGZL XT RFM VBTR TREDXH BW ZXOMT,

WBP RFMPM XT GB TXGAUM YHZYGRYAM

RB JM AYXGMH WPBV XR.

TODAY'S CLUE: G EQUALS N

Wednesday's Cryptoquip: Even a mosquito rarely receives a pat on the back until he gets to work.

SINGLE SCREEN THEATRES

Mahadeshwara Theatre Mob: 99008-20093
Nagabandham - The Secret Treasure (K) - 4 Shows

Sangam Theatre Ph: 2520494
Nagabandham - The Secret Treasure (K) - 4 Shows

Woodlands Theatre Ph: 2422871
Balaramana Dinagalu (K) - 4 Shows

Gayathri Theatre Ph: 2443568
Graamaayana (K) - 4 Shows

Lido Theatre Ph: 2420885
Deadly Killer (K) - 4 Shows

Padma Theatre Ph: 2521923
Maa Inti Bangaaram (Te) - 4 Shows

Prabha Theatre Mob: 98454-14691
Aparadhi Nanalla - 4 Shows

Rajkamal Theatre Ph: 2423554
Gatta Kusthi 2 (Ta) - 4 Shows

Balaji Theatre Mob: 98863-25207
Alpha (H) - 3 Shows

MOVIES AT DRC CINEMAS Ph: 4240422 4241800

Graamaayana (K)	(S-1)	10.25 am, 1.10 am, 10.25 pm
	(S-2)	7.20 pm
Moda Kavida Vatavarana (K)	(S-1)	4.05 pm
Nagabandham (Te)	(S-1)	6.35 pm
Love Seasons (K)	(S-2)	10.10 am
Gatta Kusthi 2nd Round (Ta)	(S-2)	1.10 pm
Maa Inti Bangaaram (Te)	(S-2)	4.15 pm
Baby Do Die Do (H)	(S-2)	10 pm
Balaramana Dinagalu (K)	(S-3)	10.05 am
Minions and The monster (E-3D)	(S-3)	1.10 pm, 3.15 pm, 5.25 pm, 7.35 pm
Nagabandham (Te)	(S-3)	9.45 pm
Alpha (H)	(S-4)	10.10 am, 1.05 pm, 7.20 pm, 10.15 pm
Welcome to the Jungle (H)	(S-4)	4 pm

MOVIES AT MYC MYSURU VISION CINEMAS Ph: 2973519

Balaramana Dinagalu (K)	(S-1)	10.25 am, 1.15 pm
Love Season (K)	(S-1)	4.05 pm
Balan : The Boy (K)	(S-1)	6.50 pm
Rao Bahadur (Te)	(S-1)	9.35 pm
Graamaayana (K)	(S-2)	10.50 am, 7 pm
	(S-3)	1 pm; (S-4) 4.25 pm
Alpha (H)	(S-2)	1.30 pm, 4.15 pm, 9.30 pm
	(S-4)	10.40 am
Nagabandham: The Secret Treasure (K)	(S-3)	3.25 pm
Nagabandham: The Secret Treasure (Te)	(S-3)	9.40 pm
Welcome to The Jungle (H)	(S-4)	1.20 pm, 9.45 pm
Gatta Kusthi 2 (Ta)	(S-4)	6.50 pm

MOVIES AT NEXUS MALL

Welcome to the Jungle (H)	:	9.15am, 12.35pm, 7pm, 10.20pm
Alpha (H)	:	9.30 am, 10.30 am, 1.30 pm
		4.30 pm, 7.30 pm
		9.30 pm, 10.30 pm
Cocktail 2 (H)	:	10 am, 3.55 pm
Graamaayana (K)	:	10.20 am, 12.30 pm, 6.50 pm
Minions & Monsters (E-3D)	:	11 am, 1 pm, 5.30 pm, 7.40 pm
Gatta Kusthi 2 (Ta)	:	1 pm, 6.50 pm
Rao Bahadur (Te)	:	1.05 pm
Nagabandham - The Secret Treasure (Te)	:	3.10 pm
Nagabandham - The Secret Treasure (H)	:	10 pm
Toy Story 5 (E-3D)	:	3.10 pm
Baby Do Die Do (H)	:	4.10 pm
Obsession (E)	:	4.35 pm
Maa Inti Bangaaram (Te)	:	7 pm
Supergirl (E-3D)	:	9.50 pm
Main Vaapas Aaunga (H)	:	10.10 pm

MOVIES AT GARUDA MALL

Gatta Kusthi 2 (Ta)	:	9.55 am, 7.20 pm
Alpha (H)	:	10 am, 1 pm, 4 pm, 7 pm 10 pm
Moda Kavida Vaathavarana (K)	:	10.30 am
Graamaayana (K)	:	10.35 am, 3.10 pm, 7.40 pm
Welcome to The Jungle (H)	:	12.50 pm, 10.30 pm
Nagabandham - The Secret Treasure (Te)	:	12.55 pm 10:20 pm
Minions & Monsters (E-3D)	:	1 pm, 5.50 pm, 8 pm
Maa Inti Bangaaram (Te)	:	4.10 pm, 10.10 pm
Balaramana Dinagalu (K)	:	4.35 pm

New Student Council of St. Lawrence

Mysuru, July 3- St. Lawrence International School, Yadavagiri, conducted its Investiture Ceremony on June 24. The ceremony marked the formal induction of the newly elected Student Council for the academic year 2026-27, reaffirming the school's commitment to nurturing leadership, responsibility, integrity and service.

The newly-elected Student Council comprises S.V. Keerthan Gowda as Head Boy, V. Aayushi Uppam as Head Girl, Aysha Labibah Saifulla as Sports Captain, Lishitha Patel as Cultural Secretary and S. Ishitha as Discipline Minister.

The House leadership includes Yona Daksh and M. Aakarsh as Captain and Vice-Captain of the Red Raptors, Bhoomika Uppar and Saanvi Pramodh as Captain and Vice-Captain of the Blue Panthers, Janika Deepak and Tooba Maryam as Captain and Vice-Captain of the Orange Dragons and Irram Fathima and Rohan Gowda as Captain and Vice-Captain of the Green Stallions.

EVENTS TODAY (JULY 3)

Industrial Extension Cottage (INDEXT-C), Government of Gujarat: Gujarat Handicrafts Utsav-2026, Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji graces the occasion, A.B. Basavaraju, Commissioner for Textile Development and Director of Handloom and Textile, inaugurates, Dr. Sanjay Joshi, Executive Director, INDEXT-C, presides, B.S. Manjunatha Swamy, Director, Department of Kannada & Culture, R. Aishwarya, Additional Deputy Commissioner, Mysuru, H.R. Rajappa, Managing Director, Karnataka State Handicrafts Development Corporation, Mothilal Krishna Lamani, Joint Director, Department of Tourism, Mysuru, K.S. Tailor, General Manager (Haat) & Joint Commissioner, INDEXT-C, R.S. Shah, Manager (Class-1), INDEXT-C, Gujarat and Dr. Snehal Makwana, Manager (Marketing), INDEXT-C, Gurajat, chief guests, **4 pm;** Traditional Ras-Garba & Tippani Dance by renowned artistes, **6 pm onwards;** Expo open to public, JSS Mysore Urban Haat, Ring Road, Hebbal Industrial Area, **up to 8 pm.**

Rotary Mysuru North: Installation Ceremony of Rtn. PHF A.P. Virupaksha as the President of Rotary Mysuru North (2026-27) & his team; Rtn. Dr. Bharatesh Adiraj, PDG, International District 3180, Installation Officer, Rtn. MPHF Yashaswi S. Somashekar, District Governor-elect, 2027-28, chief guest, Rtn. PHF P. Kiran Kumar, Assistant Governor, Zone-8 and Rtn. PHF M.J Swamy of Zone-8 will be present, Orchid Hotel, KRS Road, **6 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (JULY 4)

Art of Living Foundation: Happiness Programme, Bopy's Canopy, #1A, Vijayanagar, Hunsur Road, **6 am to 8 am.**

Kalasuruchi: Kathe Kelona Banni-939, story-telling by M.R. Anitha, Head Mistress, Government Higher Primary School, Kadanahalli, Mysuru taluk, Suruchi Rangamane, Kuvempunagar, **4.30 pm to 5.30 pm.**

Sri Thyagaraja Sangeetha Sabha Charitable Trust: Karnatak classical vocal concert by Vidu. G. Usha Somashekar, accompanied by Vid. Thandavamurthy on violin, Vid. P. Nataraj on mridanga and Vid. M.R. Mohan on morching, Sri Lakshminarasimhaswamy Temple, SBM Colony, Sriramapura 2nd Stage, **6 pm.**

Sanchalana Mysuru & Kannada and Culture Directortae, Bengaluru: Staging of play 'Bhava Yenage Hingitu' by Sanchalana troupe led by Deepak Mysuru, direction by M.R. Siddesh, Kiru Rangamandira, Kalamandira premises, **7 pm.**

Avadhoota Datta Peetham: 4k Projection Mapping on 45-ft tall Karya Siddhi Hanuman statue, Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda (SGS) Ashram, Dattanagar, Nanjangud Road, **(3 Shows) 7.10 pm, 7.40 pm and 8.10 pm.**

MOVIES AT MALL OF MYSORE

Alpha (H)	:	9.45 am, 12.45 pm, 3.45 pm
		6.45 pm, 9.45 pm
Maa Inti Bangaaram (Te)	:	9.45 am, 4 pm
Graamaayana (K)	:	10.05 am, 5.10 pm, 7.50 pm
Minions & Monsters (E-3D)	:	10.30 am, 3 pm, 7.50 pm
Obsession (E)	:	12.35 pm
Gatta Kusthi 2 (Ta)	:	12.50 pm, 7.10 pm
Welcome to the Jungle (H)	:	4.25 pm, 10 pm

MOVIES AT CENTRO MALL

Gatta Kusthi 2 (Ta)	:	9 am, 3.30 pm
Nagabandham - The Secret Treasure (Te)	:	10.05 am
Graamaayana (K)	:	10.10 am, 3 pm, 10 pm
Alpha (H)	:	10.15 am, 1.15 pm, 4.15 pm
		7.15 pm, 10.15 pm
Welcome to The Jungle (H)	:	12.10 pm, 10.20 pm
Minions & Monsters (E-3D)	:	12.50 pm, 5.40 pm, 7.50 pm
Aparadhi Nanalla (K)	:	1.45 pm
Nam Kaaldal Hingirlilla Bidi (K)	:	4.25 pm
Love Seasons (K)	:	7.30 pm
Dark (2026) (Ta)	:	10.30 pm

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Item No. 1: Commercial Property No. 4435341830, Ward No. 27, Assessment No. 9/17/122/131, measuring 5,058.11 Square Meters (formerly converted land bearing Survey No. 196/2, measuring 1 Acre 10 Guntas, out of which 1 Acre is converted for commercial purpose and 10 Guntas for residential house construction, presently bearing Survey No. 196/4, measuring 1 Acre 7.08 Guntas, bounded on East by: Survey No. 169, West by: Survey No. 196/5 and Survey. No. 196/2, North by: Road and South by: Survey No. 196/5 and Survey. No. 252. And further for Survey No. 196/3, measuring 2.08 Guntas, bounded on East by: Survey No. 196/6, West by: Survey No. 196/1, North by: Road and South by: Survey No. 196/6, both measuring 1 Acre 10 Guntas), situated at Kallahalli Industrial Area, Nanjangud (Formerly Kallahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nanjangud Taluk), having built area of 111.4836 Square Meters of residential house, constructed with AC Sheet roof and red oxide flooring and boundaries as per Khatha are East by: Kabini Paper Mills compound, West by: Balance land of Survey No. 196/2, North by: Road and South by: Kabini Paper Mills compound.

Item No. 2: Agriculture lands having following Survey Numbers, Extents and Boundaries, situated at Kallahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nanjangud Taluk.

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	A	G	East	West	North	South
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